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**GLASGOW MAN PLEADS GUILTY  
TO FEDERAL FIREARM CHARGE**

*– Under indictment for drug trafficking*

BOWLING GREEN, KY - **Timothy Lee Hayes**, age 41, of 800 Cleveland Manor Apartments, #D3, Glasgow, Kentucky, in Barren County, pled guilty on June 25, 2007, to one count of receiving a firearm while under felony indictment in Barren Circuit Court, David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, and Paul Vido, Special Agent in Charge of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), Louisville Field Division, jointly announced.

Hayes admitted that on September 25, 2006, he redeemed a Ruger 9 mm pistol at a pawn shop, U.S. Surplus and Pawn, while he was under indictment in Barren Circuit Court in case Numbers 06-CR-0033 and 06-CR-0034 for Trafficking in a Controlled Substance. Federal Law prohibits any person who is under indictment for crimes with potential punishment in excess of one year from acquiring or receiving firearms.

The maximum potential penalties are 60 months, a \$250,000 fine, and supervised release for a period of 3 years.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney John E. Kuhn, Jr. The Bowling Green Field Office of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) conducted the investigation as part of ATF's mandated mission to reduce violent crime and other

threats to public safety.

The plea was entered before Joseph H. McKinley, Jr., Judge, United States District Court, Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Hayes is scheduled to be sentenced before Judge McKinley on September 20, 2007, at 9:00 a.m. CDT, in Bowling Green, Kentucky.

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